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- 1. DURING 2/22/78 MEETING WITH AMBASSADOR, PRESIDENT SADAT EXPRESSED EGYPT'S NEED FOR U. S. CORN ON URGENT BASIS. THIS FOLLOWS SIMILAR DEMARCHE SEVERAL DAYS AGO TO AMBASSADOR BY VICE PRESIDENT MUBARAK.
- 2. AUTHORITY TO SIGN FY-1978 CIP LOAN JUST RECEIVED.
 AS SOON AS LOAN IS SIGNED, WE PLAN TO CONTACT VICE
 PRESIDENT AND PRIMIN AND SUGGEST THAT HE TAKE ACTIONS
 TO INSURE PROMPT RATIFICATION BY GOE SO LOAN CAN BE
 USED PROMPTLY TO FINANCE IMPORTS OF U. S. CORN. EILTS

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